

Amendment to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-19 (cancelled)

Claim 20 (new): A method of pet chew manufacture comprising:

- heating an inner fill comprising vegetable protein to 105 degrees centigrade;
- extruding one or more lengths of heated inner fill;
- drying the extruded inner fill for two hours in an oven set at 85 degrees centigrade;
- extruding one or more lengths of dried inner fill;
- wrapping one or more strips of pork hide strips about one or more lengths of extruded inner filling to form a pet chew; and
- drying the pet chew for at least three days in an oven set to 40 degrees centigrade.